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SUBJECT: AVAILABILITY OF U.S. ENDTAILS

1. DURING DEPUTY SECRETARY'S O'LEARY'S RECENT VISIT TO ROME,
ENEL (NATIONAL ELECTRICAL UTILITY) PRESIDENT ANGELINI HANDED TO
O'LEARY FOLLOWING NOTE: QTE. ENEL HAS A BIG PROBLEM ARISING FROM THE
THE EXCESS OF THE ENRICHMENT SERVICES ENGAGED, WITH TECNABEXPORT AND
EURODIF WHICH RESULTS IN AN HEAVY FINANCIAL BURDEN.
WE HAVE STUDIED A SOLUTION WHICH COULD APPRECIABLY REDUCE
SAID FINANCIAL BURDEN AND IT IS THE USE OF THE ABOVE SERVICES TO
ENRICH END-TAILS IN ORDER TO PRODUCE NATURAL URANIUM.
TO CARRY OUT THIS OPERATION IN THE LEAST UNECONOMICAL MANNER
WE NEED TO HAVE A CONSIDERABLE QUANTITY OF THE END-TAILS AT THE
MAX ASSAY NOW EXISTING IN YOUR PLANTS, I.E. 0.3 PERCENT.
WE WISH TO STUDY A SOLUTION WHICH CAN MEET YOUR PROGRAMS

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WHICH IN ANY CASE WOULD HAVE LED YOU IN A FEW YEARS' TIME TO
HAVE NO STOCK OF URANIUM AT 0.3 PERCENT.
FURTHERMORE WE BELIEVE AN OPERATION AS ABOVE TO BE
PERFECTLY IN LINE WITH THE POLICY OF NON-PROLIFERATION AND ENERGY
SAVING PURSUED BY PRESIDENT CARTER UNQTE.

ACTION REQUESTED: PLEASE INFORM WHETHER WE SHOULD ENCOURAGE

ANGELINI TO OUTLINE THIS IDEA IN MORE DETAIL. GARDNER

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